been spending a few months in Florida, are Pet Espy and Minnie Bennett were at the now guests of his parents, M. E. Alexander capital last week....Miss Effic Buchel and and wife Mrs. M. E. Clark and daughter June are visiting her father and mother, J. L. Evans and wife, in Noblesville...Mrs. Clint Price and daughter, of Washington, D. C., are visiting relatives here...Mrs. Thomas Rust and Miss Minnie Van Nuys, of Anderson, were guests last week of Mrs.
Anna Randall and her sister, Miss Lizzie
Harris...On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs.
Ephraim Marsh entertained a number of their friends in their usual charming manner. Progressive cinque was the game. Refreshments were served, and all had a good time.

Greensburg. The Young Ladies' B. Y. G. Society held their meeting with the Misses Zoller on Wednesday evening Miss Bessie Light, here, the guest of A. H. Prather and wife,
...Mrs. J. P. Shaw has returned to her
home at Lexington, Ky., after a visit with
the family of Rev. E. B. Rawls...Miss Mary Scobey has returned to her home in Mineapolis, after spending several days among childhood scenes...Miss Sue Kemble and Miss Parthena Conde have returned from a trip to Florida...Mrs. J. H. Linn; of Frankfort, Ind., has returned home, after several days spent in this city, her former home....Mrs. Lou Ross, nee Thompson, of Marshall, Mich., is here....John Thurston and family, of Indianapolis, were here during the week....Miss Mila Black is visiting at Rushville....Mrs. E. B. Shadomy, of Knightstown, is here.

Hartford City.

John Frash and wife, of Huntington, are guests of E. M. Stahl...Will Pippin and wife, of Brookville, are visiting here.... Mrs. M. E. Alderman, of Lima, O., is here visiting her parents....Mrs. J. L. Patty, of Lima, O., is visting friends here....Ada Weldon, of Portland, is visit her brother, H. O. Weldon....Mrs. Corey and little daughter Lucille, of Marion, were spending Sunday with her husband, Dr. C. W. Corey. of this place....On Tuesday night a few of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morse's friends surprised them at their home, on Walnut street, the occasion being the sixth anniversary of their wedding. Mr. Morse's brother, a Boston merchant, assisted by his wife, engineered the party, and gave W. H. and his estimable wife a complete surprise.

Logansport.

Miss Bertha Wiles is in Fort Wayne visiting relatives Dr. C. L. Thomas is in Winamac....Mrs. George Foreman has gone to Pittsburg for a short visit T. J. Mc-Nary and wife have returned from their trip to California Miss Toadie Fitch is at St. Augustine, Fla., and writes friends here that she is enjoying the trip and improving in health... Miss Emma Howe, of Roehester, is the guest of friends in Lo-gansport this week....T. J. Legg will depart for Edinburgh, Scotland, May 10, and will make a tour of Scot-land and England before returning.... Superintendent Rodgers and wife, of the insane asylum, departed for a two weeks' visit in the East. Dr. S. E. Smith will be in charge during their absence...Mr. Dugan and wife, of Springfield, O., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Johnson K. A. Barcus and family have returned from Bluffton....Hon. W. D. Owen and wife have gone to Logan, Ia., and from thence to Colombia, Central America, to be absent three months Mrs. Otto Kraus is in Chicago for a week Judge N. O. Ross was in Indianapolis Saturday Judge D. P. Baldwin spent last Sunday in South Bend, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Hibbard....Mrs. Dr. D. M. Kelly, of Brookston, in the city....Mrs. A. L. Furbee, is in Richmond for a short visit.

Madison.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Vawter have moved back from Chicago Louis Wright and Mattie Richards were wedded Wednesday. The Hebrews will have an excursion to Louisville May 9, and A. D. Bachman Post will do likewise on the 16th The Pleasure Seekers gave their closing hop Tuesday night ... Mrs. George Martin was the guest of Mrs. Dr. Runcie in New Albany last week...Will Emerson, of Astoria, Ill., is visiting his sister, Mrs. V. A. Matthews.... Mr. Richard Johnson, accompanied by his daughters, Mrs. Manly D. Wilson, Miss Anna Johnson, and his granddaughter, Miss Jenneatte Wilson, will sail for Europe on the steamer City of New York on the 10th of June next to be absent two months.... Miss Sophronia Lewis and Mr. Walter Ludgate were married recently in San Fran-

Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin DeWolf were visiting at Chicago last week . . . Mrs. D. R. Mc-Kinney gave a reception to friends Tuesflay afternoon ... Miss Gertie Winters, of Hartford City, is the guest of Mrs. J. G. Savre....Mrs. William White is visiting at Indianapolis ... Rev. M. Swadener, the evangelist, is conducting a series of meetings at Minneapolis...An appreciative audience greeted Janauschek at Sweetser's Opera-house Thursday night...Judge Walter Stephenson is visiting his old home at Dayton, O...Mrs. W. W. McCleery gave a reception to a number of friends Friday evening....Miss Leanna Beecher returned home Friday, after a visit of three months at Chicago ... Rev. J. H. Thomas will deliver a course of lectures this week at Hanover College Mrs. J. R. Davis and Mrs. Sarah James are visiting relatives at Dayton, O...Mrs. F. W. Swezey, of Omaha, Neb., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sweetser.

Montezuma.

P. J. Welshan returned home on Tuesday from Brownsburg and Indianapolis. His daughter, Mrs. C. Franklin, of the lastnamed place, returned with him for a two weeks' visit...Miss Ida Murphy left on Thursday for her home in Chicago after an extended visit here....Miss Mayme Upp, of Terre Haute, visited her parents, J. Upp and wife last week....Robert Welsh, of Dana, visited his daughter, Mrs. Ann Brady last Thursday.

Mrs. M. W. Wilbur, of Huntington, spent

Mr. Charles Espy will assist in a musical concert at Morristown.

Mrs. L. Lybrand and son Walter, of Terre Haute, are in the city Dr. McGrath, wife and son Blaine are home from their wisit at College Corner and Cincinnati...

Mrs. N. D. Levinson spent a part of last
week at Indianapolis....Mrs. I. M. Heims, of Indianapolis, is visiting at her father's, Mr. N. D. Levinson...Mrs. John Craig and daughter Mary left yesterday for Bloomington, Ind., for a few weeks' visit Mrs. W. F. Gowdy and son Clyde are at home from their visit at Springfield, O....Mrs. Ed Longley entertained friends at tea on last Thursday evening.

Mrs. C. C. Emswiler is home from an Indianapolis visit....Mr. A. E. Etvin, of Chicago, is the guest of his parents....Mrs. Godlove Conradt returned Wednesday from an extended visit in Decatur, Ala., where she was the guest of her daughter...Mrs. Dr. Sherwin, of Rochester, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Shearer, the past two weeks, returned home on Thursday....Mrs. Dr. Malsbury is the guest of Somerset, Ind., friends....Mrs. W. Brouse, of Kokomo, was the guest of Mrs. F. Daugherty over Sunday...Mrs. J. W. Knapp, of Hinton, Va., is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. A. Sites...Mrs. O. L. Minor is visiting in Indianapolis...Mrs. M. Shirk entertained the Reading Club on Monday evening...Mrs. James Durett is the guest of Indianapolis friends Miss Maggie Haugh, who has been the guest of Miss Dora Kraus, the past month, returned home to Indianapolis on Monday....Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Higgins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stephens at Richmond, Va., the past week...Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Helm re-turned home from a Florida visit on Thursday Mrs. Emma Bearss is home from Rochester, Ind Mrs. A. Wertheim is visiting in Logansport....Mr. E. J. Dukes is entertaining his aunt. Mrs. Sue Thompson, of Nashville, Tenn Mrs. S. Matthews is the guest of relatives at Tipton.

Portland. Mr. and Mrs. S. T. McGoveny entertained the Social Literary Society last Friday evening with a musical and literary programme Mrs. J. A. Jaqua and children gramme....Mrs. J. A. Jaqua and children are visiting relatives and friends in Hartford City....Misses Ida and Roma Eichelbarger visited their sister, Mrs. Will Feathers, of Muncie, last week....Dr. Mackey and family are visiting with relatives in Dayton, O., this week....Mrs. Max and children were the guests of Mrs. S. W. Haynes over Sunday Miss Jessie Carver, of Winchester, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. E. McGriff, last week....
Miss Inez Comer, of Richmond, visited friends in this city over Sunday....Dr. Frank Richardson and family, of Hunts-ville, O., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Haynes and the family of Mr. C.

Hays, last week. Richmond. Miss Anna Borton, of Tyrone, Pa., the guest of Mrs. George R. Williams and other relatives, left for home Wednesday evening The members of Grace M. E. Church had a delightful social Tuesday night... Mrs. J. F. Griffin returned Monday night from a visit at Savannah, Ill., accompanied by Mrs. Belinda Folger Mrs. Thomas Nixon and Mrs. J. S. Ostrander returned Tuesday, after a visit at Dayton, their former home....Osceola Tribe of Red Men adopted twenty pale faces at their last meeting.... Miss Ruby Gaar and Miss Jessie Hoover visited Cincinnati this week. ... Miss Ella McElir is visiting at Middletown....Mrs. William Dudley Foulke left for Trenton, N. J., Wednesday night.... Mrs. Trav. Little, now of Greenville, O., 18 with old Richmond friends relatives Miss Mary Weber to Knightstown Thursday to went visit relatives Miss Bessie Coffin, of New Castle, is the guest of A. W. Coffin and wife....Mrs. Joseph Dooley and Miss Ella Dunham went to Louisville Thursday to visit relatives....St. Mary's Guild. of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, gave a Longfel-

low's social Friday night.... Harmon Meyers and wife returned from Piqua Tuesday night. Also Mrs. Isham Sedgwick, from Winchester, and Miss Mand Shellenberger, from Covington, O...John I. White and wife, of Fort Wayne, are the guests of C. B. Fleming and wife...Revs. Beeks, of Knightstown; Neal, of Hagerstown; Brown, of New Castle; Welsh, of Portland; Fry, of Dublin and Watte of Greenfield Dublin, and Watts, of Greenfield, attended the district stewards' meeting, at the First M. E. Church, Tuesday....A. G. Shepard, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., left for St. Joseph, Mo., Wednesday night, to attend the International Secretaries Conference, and then the international Y. M. C. A. convention at Kansas City....Twenty-six ladies have joined the list of bicyclists in the Y. M. C. A. Athletic Club, which is making a fine cindered track at its park. The Young People's Dancing Club gave a brilliant hop, at Vaughan's Hall, Wednesday night.

Rockville. Miss Maud Payne will accompany Miss May Wilkinson to Mississippi, where she will spend the summer.... Miss Cox, of Terre Haute, attended the Ohaver-Humphreys wedding Robert M. Shearer and wite, of St. Louis, are in the city....Mrs. Mary Whipple will go to Duluth to spend the summer with her son, Lew Whipple The M. E. ladies gave a missionary tea at the residence of Mrs. Emma Johnson, Friday evening Miss Mira Baker is visiting at Farmersburg, Ind Harry and Wilbur Pavey are visiting their parents, the Rev. Pavey and wife....Ernest J. Ohaver, a popular young man of this place, was married last week to Miss Virginia Humphreys. daughter of James H. Humphreys. The wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride, one mile south of Rockville, the Rev. W. P. Cummings officiating. Guests from Terre Haute, Crawfordsville and Lafayette were present. The young couple are now at Danville, but will return to Rockville to

J. C. Van Harlinger and family have relast Sabbath with Muncie friends... Mrs. turned from Lebanon, O., where they at-Frank Watson and children left on Tues- tended the wedding of the former's sister. Mrs. Joe Center, of Mount Carmel, Ill., is a from hat to shoes, once a week. Children day morning for their new home in Paris, | Miss Effic Bottorif was at Rushville Ky...Hon. R. C. Belle and wife, of Fort Wayne, are guests of Mr. Adam Wolf....
Miss Sarah Wright were united in wedlock wayne, are guests of Mr. Adam Wolf....
Miss Sarah Wright were united in wedlock on Thursday evening, Rev. W. A. Cannon was elect-pleasantly entertained the Young Ladies'

Miss Minnie Stratten, of Austin, visited her ed commander of Mattoon Post, Grand a little boy with an angelic face, and she

and family, of Sioux City, Ia., who have | J. M. Freeman, Mrs. Moudy and the Misses | Morlidge, of Ludlow, Ky., will spend the summer here.

> J. N. Summerville left last Monday for New York city, where he will visit his daughter...W. E. Hardy and wife, Mrs. J. M. Smith and daughter Maggie visited Zionsville last Friday...Miss Belle DeRoy, who has been visiting relatives in this city, has returned to her home in Star City Miss Anna Young is visiting relatives in Decatur and Jennings countres....Mrs. Anna Bennett, of Monticello, is visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. N. Rector is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles F. Neff, at Peru....Mrs. H. H. Gillen has returned from Deland Fla., where she spent the winter....Mrs. Ed Hibben, of Sioux City, Ia. is in the city, the guest of relatives... Miss Minnie Olney, of Benton Harbor, Mich., is visiting Mrs. M. A. Neaman, this city... Misses Carrie McHenry and Anna Teeters were en-Mrs. H. W. Bennett, of Concord, N. H., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hart V. Hopper...Miss May Tinker on Tuesday left for Meadville, Pa., to resume her studies at school...Miss Resalind Keller has gone to Logansport to remain some time with her sister, Mrs. Quint Sweetser....Mrs. F. M. Eagle and daughter, Mrs. John Curtner, are home from a visit to friends at Indian-apolis...Mr. and Mrs. Joe T. McNary, of Logansport, were the guests irs. Mc-Nary's parents here the past week....Mrs. Lew Marks, of Marion, and Mrs. Stause, of Lyons, N. Y., were entertained last week by Mr. and Mrs. David Marks....Mrs. Lawrence Daugherty is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Webster at Marion....Mr. and

lis the past week. Winchester.

Mrs. Thomas McNamee were in Indianapo-

Miss Laura Ward is at Columbus, O.... Miss Dena Robenwald, of Rushville, Ill., has been the guest of Miss May Chapman. Thomas L. Marsh and wife, of Dublin, visited relatives here over Sunday....Mrs. G. W. Keller visited relatives at Muncie the first of last week....Mrs. C. W. Wolverton visited her parents, at Greenville, O., last week....Mrs. Hostetter is home from a visit with her daughter, at Sidney, O.... Mr. and Mrs. Joe Puckett left Friday for their summer residence at Excelsior, Minn.Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Albright, of Green-ville, O., were guests of their son over Sunday Marion Way and family will leave shortly for a visit at Stockton, Cal.

THE STATE OF ILLINOIS. Champaign.

Rev. C. Miller attended the meeting of the German Lutheran Synod, in Chicago, the past week E. H. Russell and family and Miss Myrtle Hamilton are visiting in Springfield, Ill....Mrs. J. P. Replogle, of Cerra Gordo, Ill., was a guest of her son in this city the past few days....J. S. Kilbury and wife returned from a visit in Chicago last evening....H. W. Mahan and wife, of Chicago, were entertained by their Champaign friends the past few days.... Prof. and Mrs. Peter Roos have departed for Boston Miss Emma Burgass, of Canton, Ill., is a visitor in the city.

Charleston. James Grove and family were in Charleston the past week Mrs. Doyle, of Sullivan, Ill., was a guest of Mrs. M. Cann during the past week Jesse B. Gray has gone to Central City, Neb., where he will spend the summer....Judge C. B. Smith, of Champaign, shook hands with Charleston friends one day recently Charleston young people find driving to Mattoon a pleasurable pastime with the fine condition of the road.

Danville. Mr. and Mrs. Baldwin, of Mount Carmel, were visiting friends in this city on Wednesday....Mrs. Foncy Lemp and daughter, Miss Nettie, of Covington, were In the city Wednesday...Mrs. Howard Mater, of Terre Haute, Ind., is visiting Mrs. Hiram Woods...Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Tucker, together with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Borden, left for California on Tuesday The D. H. S. Literary Society met Friday evening at the residence of Miss Lizzie Jackson....Miss Elste Adams and Miss Nellie Flarity have returned home after having a pleasant visit at Covington, Ind Miss Sarah Greenwalt and Mrs. Clara Hoffer, of Hummelstown, Penn., are visiting friends in this city....James Garner and Miss Amelia A. Tesch were married on Wednesday evening....Mrs. S. M. Wright and Miss Oda Clark, of Scottland, are visiting Mrs. John Hensley....Joe Anchel left for Evansville, Ind., on Wednesday, where he and Miss Addie Frank will be married on May 6 The Interstate Milkmaid convention held at the Armory, under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary B. of L. E., Tuesday evening, was an unqualified success. The following young ladies took prominent parts: Misses Zora Bookwalter, Fannie Estes, Helen Clark, Blance Brown, Della Palmer, Agnes Pringle and Maud

Thompson. Marshall. Mrs. Raymond Kintz, of Terre Haute, was the guest of F. R. Neal's family last week Edward Emerson started Wednesday to Tacoma Mrs. L. S. Kilborn has returned from a several weeks' visit in Seneca, Mo... Miss E. E. Aydelott, of Springfield, Mo., is visiting relatives here....Miss Maud Prewett is the guest of Terre Haute friends....Miss Addie Barber went to Howard, Kan., last week to spend the summer with her brother, Noyes Barber....Miss Ella Hunter, of Robinson, has been spending several days with Miss Mary Whitehead....Mrs. R. H. Brown visited bar sister in Tarre Haute last week her sister in Terre Haute last week Fred Shaw and wife, of Darwin, were the guests of relatives here last week

Mattoon Judge G. B. Smith, of Champaign, was in Mattoon for a few days last week...M. E. Reffety and family have returned from Wichita, Kan., and will make their home in Mattoon in the future. Kansas has lost her charms for them... Misses Mellie and Jennie Jones, of Paris, Ill., enjoyed a visit visitor in Mattoon William Rudey and | cost money, and most parents find it is only

are visiting relatives here...Mrs. L. C. Mullins departed on Tuesday for a visit in Indianapolis...Mrs. W. A. Wozencraft, J. A. Wozencraft and Anna Yergin departed on Wednesday for Chicago to reside.... Ollie Wilson, of Louisville, Ky., was in the

city last week. Endurance. How much the heart may bear and yet not break,

How much the flesh may suffer, yet not die; question much if any pain or ache Of soul and body brings our end more nigh; Death chooses his own end, till that be sworn, All evil may be borne. We shrink and shudder at the surgeon's knife,

Each nerve recoiling from the cruel steel.

Whose edge seems searching for the quivering life;

Yet to our sense the bitter pang reveals That still, although the trembling flesh be torn, This also may be borne. We see a sorrow rising on our way, And try to flee from the approaching ill; We seek some small escape, we weep and pray; But when the blow falls then our hearts are still

Not that the pain is of its sharpness shorn, But that it can be borne. We wind our life about another life. We hold it closer, dearer than our own; Anon it faints and falls in deadly strife. Leaving us stunned, and stricken, and alone; But ah! we cannot die with those we mourn. This also can be borne.

___ Two Moods, I plucked the harebells as I went inging along the river side; The skies above were opulent Of sur ine. "Ah! whate'er betide, The world is sweet, is sweet," I cried, That morning by the river side.

The curiews called along the shore; The boats put out from sandy beach; Afar I heard the breakers' roar, Mellowed to silver-sounding speech. And still I sang it o'er and o'er, "The world is sweet forever more!"

Perhaps, to-day, some other one, Loitering by the river side, Content beneath the gracious sun. May sing again, "Whate'er betide, The world is sweet." I shall not chide. Although my song is done.

-Mary N. Prescott.

Madrigal. When all is said and sung, what is the sum? Love, only love! What brightest dream hath youth of years to What retrospect turn dim eyes latest front? Love, only love!

What word sounds sweetest in the poet's rhyme? Love, only love! What tales first told in some forgotten clime. From heart to heart throb through the lapse Love, only love!

The guide-star of the soul's divine endeavor-Love, only love! The bond of lives which death cannot dissever; The litany the scraphs sing forever-Love, only love! -Charles L. Hildreth.

The Wind's Way. The wind of God swept through a garden fair, And stript the queenly rose of half its leaves. The rose of roses and the gardener's care The wind of God made bare, And all the garden grieves.

O wind, why didst thou pass the pale wild rose, That swings and suns against the outer wall, To take the fairest of the flowery close, The sweetest bud that blows, The rose beloved of all?

Alas! the wind's way is a wild way. And whence, or why, or whither, who co Unseen it wanders forth, both night and day, And who shall bid it stay That God hath bidden blow? -James Bucksm.

Reversal. In that dark time when sorrow dwelt with me; When one sweet face beneath the coffin-lid Was all my heavy, earth-turned eyes could see, And all the world beneath that face was hid: I heard thy words-and knew thy heart did

Words full with sympathy, and strong with cheer. And brave with hope, and tender in mine ear: But dared not answer, with my lips so weak. And now what falleth! I stand lifted high Within the blessed light and thou dost lie Beneath the shadow of thy sacred grief. Yet f, who ought in turn to bring relief To thee in words, stand dumb, with lips apart; But friend, O friend! thou knowest well my heart.

-Homer Greene. Bereaved. Let me come in where you sit weeping-aye, Let me, who have not any child to die. Weep with you for the little one whose love I have known nothing of.

The little arms that slowly, slowly loosed Their pressure round your neck—the hands you To kiss. Such arms, such hands, I never knew, May I not weep with you! Fain would I be of service-say some thing Between the tears that would be comforting,

But ah! so sadder than yourselves am I. Who have no child to die. -James Whitcomb Riley. An Old Letter. Only a sheet of paper, old and yellow, And worn with reading all these thirty years,

But still the woman guards it as her treasure— The old love-letter dimmed with many tears. She, only, understands the lover's message; No stranger eyes can read the writing dim; She holds it nearer to her heart and dearer Than e'en the ministure she has of him. She is a woman, grave, and sweet, and tender, Her hair snow-white, her eyes no longer clear. And hel-for many years he has been sleeping Beneath the grasses in the church-yard near.

-New York Press,

Transformation. Far in the woods I found a cold, dark spring Through scarce-distinguished pebbles bubblis I knelt to drink—a cloud took sudden wing.

And pearls, in wine dissolving, filled my cup.

-Charles Henry Luders, in May Lippincott's. New Way of Saving Clothes.

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THE EARTH STILL GROWING. Its Mass Is Increased by the Siftings of Cosmic Dust Upon Its Surface.

Goldthwaite's Geographical Magazine. On clear nights, when the limpid atmosphere permits us to observe to the best ad vantage the innumerable splendors of the sky, we have often seen a luminous speck suddenly appear in the depths of space, and rapidly tracing a path of light, disappear as suddenly as if flashed into view. Perhaps we have bad the good fortune to witness a shower of meteors, and these apparitions have been well calculated to arouse our curiosity and stimulate the imagination. It is well known that falling stars, as they are called, are not the only foreign substances which intrude themselves into our atmosphere. In addition to the meteoric stones which reach the surface of the globe, large quantities of cosmic dust become incorporated with our planet. The track which the earth follows through the heaven is to some extent filled with this powder of worlds, which is constantly sifting down upon the surface of the earth. What is the effect of these meteoric stones and this cosmic dust in increasing the mass of the earth? Of course the earth, constantly bombarded by celestial projectiles, is slightly ang-menting all the while in volume and weight. One astronomer has estimated at 146,600,000,000 the number of projectiles, big and little, which annually reach the surface of the earth. Supposing that each meteoric stone has a volume of a cubic millimetre, or about a third of an inch in all its dimensions, and a density seven times as great as that of water, our globe would thus be annually increased by a vol-

ume of 146 cubic metres and a weight of over 2,500,000 pounds. In 100 centuries the augmentation of the size of the earth would thus be equal to 1,460,000 cubic meters and the increase in the weight would amount to over 255,500,-000,000 pounds. If this cosmic dust were spread uniformly over the entire surface of the planet it would constitute, in thirtyfive thousand years, a bed of about a third of an inch in thickness. But these figures

probably fall far short of the reality. Business Suits for Women.

Illustrated American. In the recent and general discussion regarding the devisement of an ideal everyday dress for women no mention has been made of a much-desired garment that, once put on the market, would find ready sale. This is a summer jacket to correspond in weight with the alpaca coat so universally patronized by men. Of a handsome quality of poplin, in negative color-black, gray, navy blue and bottle green-well cut and half fitting, hundreds of women would gladly purchase as a grateful addition to their bot-weather wardrobes. With a simply made skirt and wash-silk shirt, this mohair coat would complete an ideal business dress for the woman who works in town all summer, and either repines in a close-buttoned basque or droops under the extra warmth of a woolen jacket.

RAILWAY TIME-TABLES.



Leave for Pittsburg, Baltimore, (d 4:45 a m. Washington, Philadelphia and New (d 5:30 p m. Arrive from the East, d 11:40 am., d 12:50 pm. andd 10:00 pm.

Leave for Columbus, 9:00 am.; arrive from Columbus, 3:45 pm.; leave for Richmond, 4:00 pm.; arrive from Richmond, 9:00 am. Leave for Chicago, d 11:05 am., d 11:30 pm.; arrive from Chicago, d 3:45 pm.; d 3:30 am.

Leave for Louisville, d 3:40 am., 8:00 am., d 3:55 pm. Arrive from Louisville, d 11:00 am., 6:00 pm., d 10:50 pm.

Leave for Columbus, 4:30 pm. Arrive from Columbus, d 10:50 pm. Columbus, 10:25 am. Leave for Vincennes and Cairo, 7:20 am., 4:00 pm.; arrive from Vincennes and Cairo; 10:50 am., 5:00 pm.

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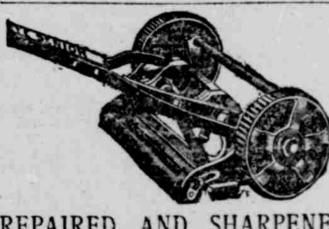
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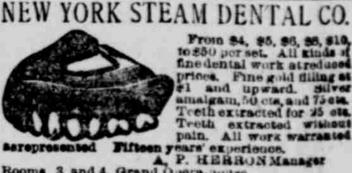
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